



**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
WARRIOR TRANSITION BATTALION  
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**Dear Warrior and Family Members,**

**On behalf of the Soldiers, Civilians and Contractors of the Warrior Transition Battalion (WTB) at Joint Base San Antonio (JBSA), welcome to our outstanding organization. Whether you are arriving as a Soldier to Heal or as a new member of the team - it is my goal to ensure you are treated with dignity, respect and compassion during your assignment.**

**For many this may be the most challenging time in your or your family's life. Rest assured that you've made it to an organization that enables you to receive the world-class healthcare you deserve – through Brooke Army Medical Center (BAMC) and several other Centers of Excellence. These activities employ highly competent and professional staff with state of the art equipment and services 'second to none' across the Department of Defense. You are truly at your home away from home – so that the focus remains in line with the Warrior Creed:**

**"I am a Warrior in Transition. My job is to heal as I transition back to duty or continue to serve the nation as a veteran in my community. This is not a status, but a mission. I will succeed in this mission because I am a Warrior and I am Army Strong."**

***The JBSA BAMC WTB Mission* is to provide competent and compassionate leadership through command and control, complex case management, comprehensive transition planning and primary care in a safe environment that promotes the optimum healing for the wounded, ill or injured Soldier that will return to the force or transition to civilian life as a productive Veteran.**

**To be successful in this mission we've implemented a Triad of Care; ensuring that each Soldier's nurse case manager, primary care manager and squad leader communicate on an official and regular basis to ensure the best possible transition. We also work with each Soldier to establish their own comprehensive transition plan (CTP) to reach individual and family goals important during your journey. The recovery process can be exhausting and the terminology unfamiliar. If at any time you don't understand what you've been told, please ask for clarification.**

**Regardless of where you've served; we are honored to have you and recognize the sacrifice by you and your loved ones to protect and defend our great country. Welcome again to the Warrior Transition Battalion – your place to heal, to regain your strength and to overcome obstacles for a successful future.**

***Serving to Heal ... Honored to Serve!***

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